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Looks Over Road to Highway.

After a period of almost a year since a connecting road from Didsbury to the highway was promised, Hon. W. A. Fallow, minister of public works, along with E. P. Foster, M.L.A., was in town Monday evening to look over the situation of providing a good connecting road to the highway.

After the location of the road had been inspected, representatives of the town and Mountain View municipality had a brief interview with Mr. Fallow, but no definite assurances were given. However, Mr. Fallow said that in the near future the department would get in touch with Mountain View municipality in connection with the matter.

Obituary.

Mrs. JAMES S. GREIG

Mrs. J. S. Greig, beloved wife of the late James S. Greig, passed away at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, on Monday, July 17th, after a lingering illness.

Mrs. Greig (nee Mary E. Dunington), was born near Owen Sound, Ontario, on March 21st, 1856. She spent the early years of her life in Ontario and was an active worker in the home mission work of the M.B.C. Church and for a number of years carried on a children's home.

She came to Alberta in 1918 and a year later she was married to the late Mr. Greig and lived on their farm at Trochu until they retired to Edmonton in 1936.

Mrs. Greig was predeceased by her husband in February of this year and she leaves to mourn her loss: one adopted daughter, Annie, now Mrs. Elmer Byers, of Prince Albert, Sask.; and four step-sons, Stuart, of Didsbury, Clifford, of Edmonton, Norman, of Vermilion, and Wesley, of Wetaskiwin; also a brother, Mr. Ebby Dunnington, of Edmonton.

Funeral services were held at Edmonton and the body was shipped for burial in the family plot at Didsbury. Graveside services were in charge of Rev. A. Traub assisted by Rev. O. Snyder, and were attended by friends from Didsbury, Trochu and Three Hills.

Evangelical Church Notes

At the morning service next Lord's Day the pastor will discuss the subject, "Clouds and Faith." At the evening service the great subject, "Christian Salvation," will be discussed.

At this vacation season your presence is especially appreciated.

WEDDINGS

GEIGER—FRIESEN

A quiet but interesting wedding took place in the vestry of the First Baptist Church, Calgary, on Wednesday, August 2, when Charles, youngest son of Mr. Dan Geiger was united in marriage to Doris, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Friesen.

The bride, who was attired in a black tailored suit with suez accessories and wearing a beautiful corsage, was given in marriage by her father.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Muriel Friesen, who wore a navy sheer dress trimmed with white.

The groom was attended by Mr. Alf Durrer.

The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful wrist watch.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the Tea Kettle Inn, when about twenty guests were present.

The happy couple left for Banff and other points for a short honeymoon and on their return will reside in Didsbury.

Unveil Memorial At Crossfield

At impressive services in the Crossfield town park last Sunday afternoon Brigadier G. R. Pearkes, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., district officer commanding Military District No. 13, unveiled a splendid cenotaph erected by the residents of the district.

A crowd of 600 persons, including many guests from Calgary and other points, witnessed the ceremony in the little green park.

As Brigadier Pearkes unveiled the flag-draped memorial, the Union Jack was lowered to half-mast. Two Crossfield boys, Jack and George Fleming, members of the 13th District Signals, R.C.C.S., sounded the "Last Post."

Altogether the district contributed 100 soldiers to the Empire forces. Twenty-five died on the fields of France.

Thanks.

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Stock Prizewinners at Didsbury Fair

Following is a list of prizewinners in livestock at the Didsbury Fair. Other winners will be published in future issues of the Pioneer.

HORSES

Agricultural

Mare and Foal: R. Johnson, Carstairs, Glen Fulkerth, H. Roberts.

Dry Mare or Gelding 3 year: Glen Fulkerth, S. L. Bosomworth, Ed Charlton, Carstairs.

Filly or Gelding 2 year: Glen Fulkerth, C. M. Pratt.

Filly or Gelding 1 year: Glen Fulkerth, C. M. Pratt.

Foal: H. Roberts, Glen Fulkerth, R. Johnson.

Heavy Draft

Mare and Foal: Clara Johnson, Charles Gordon, Carstairs.

Dry Mare or Gelding 3 year: Gordon, 1 and 2.

Dry Mare or Gelding 4 year: Gordon, R. Johnson, P. Johnson.

Filly or Gelding 2 year: Gordon, E. K. Cullen, Ed Charlton.

Filly or Gelding 1 year: Gordon, Phyllis Johnson, Clara Johnson.

Foal: Clara Johnson, Gordon, Culken.

Heavy Draft Team

Gordon, J. Kershaw, Bosomworth

Agricultural Team

Gordon, Glen Fulkerth, L. Kershaw

General Purpose Team

J. Graham, Olds. L. Kershaw

Genl. Purpose 4-Horse Team

J. Kershaw

Light Horses

Foal: W. J. Fulkerth, Det Fulkerth, Glen Fulkerth.

Filly or Gelding 1 year: W. J. Fulkerth, Det Fulkerth, G. Fulkerth.

Filly or Gelding 2 year: W. J. Fulkerth, Det Fulkerth, G. Fulkerth.

Dry Mare or Gelding 3 year: Det Fulkerth, W. J. Fulkerth 2 and 3

Mare and Foal: W. J. Fulkerth 1 and 3, Det Fulkerth 2.

Single Driver, mare or gelding: G. Epp, Carstairs.

Saddle Horses

Gent's: W. J. Fulkerth, Det Fulkerth, Bert Farrel, Carstairs.

Lady's: Det Fulkerth, W. J. Fulkerth, Delbert Levagood.

Girl's Pony 14.2 or under: M. Klein, J. Tabert, Carstairs, J. Graham, Olds.

Girl's or Boy's Pony 13 hands or under: W. J. Fulkerth, C. Ady, J. V. Berscht.

CALF CLUB

In the Calf Club exhibit there was the largest number of entries since the club was organized in the spring of 1933. Following were the results:

2-Year-olds

1 Dorothy Bruce 4 John Bruce

2 Glyn Roberts 5 Harvey Stevens

3 Enid Roberts 6 George Gillrie

Yearlings

1 Jeanette Worrall 5 Glen Levagood

2 Harvey Stevens 6 Glyn Roberts

3 John Bruce 7 Dorothy Bruce

4 Enid Roberts 8 Kenton Gillrie

Calves

1 Dorothy Bruce 13 George Morasch

2 Alex McNair 14 Clara Imm

3 Glyn Roberts 15 George Gillrie

4 Shirley Cullen 16 Kenton

5 John Bruce 17 Eric Hansen

6 Glen Levagood 18 Jeanette Worrall

7 Marion 19 Enid Roberts

8 Bobby Youngs 20 Paul Hansen

9 Harvey Stevens 21 Trevor Morgan

10 Joyce Morgan 22 Billy Parker

11 Henry Brown 23 Raymond Fisher

12 Marjorie Bruce 24 Victor Schneidemiller

Ship Million Bushel During Last Year

With the closing of the grain shipping season on July 31st, reports given out by the elevators show that 1,050,000 bushels of grain have been shipped through the Didsbury station. About 200,000 bushels were coarse grains and in addition a large quantity of coarse grains have been trucked out.

The grain shipment from Didsbury is reported to be one-third higher than that at Olds or Innisfail.

The prospects for the coming season are not so good due to the extensive hail in this district. Some crops are recovering however, even though they are somewhat late.

It is estimated that if the fall is favourable there will be about 650 thousand bushels of wheat available for shipment during the current year.

Farmers' Convention, Acme, August 8th.

The Didsbury Constituency Farmers' Annual Convention will be held Aug. 8, in the Acme Hardware Hall at 1:30 p.m.

Guest speakers will be Donald Cameron from the Extension Dept., University of Alberta, who will speak on, "Education for Co-operation in a Modern Community." E. P. Foster, M.L.A., who has accepted an invitation to give an address, "Legislation Passed at Edmonton Affecting Farmers," will also speak. The latter is known very well throughout this constituency.

Mr. Cameron's years of study, both as a student at the University and in the practical field of co-operative education; his tour of Denmark and the Scandinavian countries; and his present connection with the Extension Department and as head of Rural Youth Training in Alberta, give him a specially fitted background for the subject he has chosen.

Everyone is welcome, whether members of the organized farmers or not. Junior farmers and all farm club members are especially invited.

Various resolutions dealing with farm problems will be discussed. Entertainment and education will be combined to give a profitable afternoon's enjoyment.

See Deer Close to Town

J. W. Halton and W. A. Austin report having seen a deer on the roadside while driving west of town. J. A. McGhee also reports having seen a yearling doe on the highway near H. Morgan's place north east of town.

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Public Opinion In Action

To those who have their ear to the ground, there appear to be signs that the public viewpoint on the question of substantial expenditures by the various governmental units of the country is veering in the direction of espousal of what are sometimes succinctly referred to as "the good old virtues of thrift and economy."

If this is so and if there is a very definite and pronounced trend of public opinion in this direction, the time may not be far distant when governments will start tightening the public purse strings and when government officials, at the behest of their superiors, will commence to sit heavily on the lids of treasuries.

This trend towards a changing viewpoint on the subject of public expenditures is not only apparent in many parts of the Dominion of Canada, but there are signs of it in the United States.

The phenomenon is not an unnatural one on this continent. It has been a matter of observation over a long period of years that public opinion is a very variable factor, and is inclined at times to run to extremes. The pendulum of thought on the North American continent is apt to swing in a wide arc, marking now a definite trend far to the right and now well to the left on topics of general public concern.

For some time now there has been a general disposition on the part of the majority of the people not only to condone, but to urge generous expenditure of public money, sometimes it is to be feared, without much thought of the day of reckoning which is bound to follow sooner or later.

Feeling The Burden

Now, if signs are read aright, there is a hint of a trend in the other direction. The cause of it may be difficult to diagnose but perhaps more and more people are beginning to feel the burden of taxation and to realize that there can be no surcease as long as liabilities continue to accumulate and budgets remain unbalanced.

Some very sound thoughts on this subject of the relationship between public opinion and governmental reaction are contained in the final of a series of articles by Allan Meikle, president of the Canadian Federation of Labour, in a recent issue of the Labour Review, the Federation's official organ, in which he points out that in the final analysis the solution of the railway problem depends upon the relationship of public opinion to railway labour.

"I want to lay great stress on this," writes Mr. Meikle, "because, in these days of governmental interference in economic affairs, of government attempts to control the hours that men work and the wages they receive, there is a very grave danger that the organized workers may get the impression that all that is necessary to score a great victory is to persuade the government to do this or that thing for their advantage."

"There could not be a greater mistake. A moment's consideration should show this, for it must be obvious that the only reason that leads the government of a democratic country to undertake any protection for the wage earners is the belief that opinion will support this course. Therefore, the lasting quality of any action in aid of labour which a government may take must depend on the skill of the government in judging not only what is the attitude of public opinion at the moment, but what it is to be, at times change."

Lest I should be charged with a cynical attitude, and told that democracy can surely produce something better than a political system in which the government depends always on guessing right as to what public opinion wants, lest I be told that governments should do what is right and take the consequences—let me point out that this is all mere talk. Governments and democracies must and should be guided by public opinion. If a government decides to do something because it is right, but actually succeeds in doing something which is unpopular, the fact that the government has done this is of no importance, for the succeeding governments will simply undo it. It is the first and simplest duty of a democratic nation to consider what the voters want and to give it to them.

Too Far Sometimes

"Of course, in our times this responsive attitude of government to public opinion has been carried a little too far, and we all know that governments in this and all other democracies, are nowadays inclined to do more than give the public what the public wants. They are actually given to trying to make the public want things, so that the government may get the credit of having done what the public wants."

It is an old story now that governments will actually try to bribe the public by great expenditures of public money—only because the public sometimes forgets that public money is the public's money, and that everyone who benefits from any sort of government expenditures is also paying a share of them.

Indeed, experience seems to show now that the weakest elements in our economic system—the workers and the farmers—who are the elements to whom the governments generally appeal with large public expenditures, are exactly the elements who pay a disproportionately large share of the cost of running the country, and only fail to know that they do this because our indirect taxation leads them to believe that the rich pay more than their share of taxes."

Bernard Pitsheld, of the 6th North Staffordshires, is the smallest private in the British army. He is five feet 1 1/2 inches tall, half an inch below regulations.

A Rooftop Lookout

A striking feature of homes of old Nantucket island is the "Widow's Walk" which surrounds the chimney, and often the whole roof, of these old houses. Here the wives of the sailors and captains of the whaling ships which put out to Nantucket in the days of her greatness used to walk high above the breakers, to watch for the sails of their husbands' ships returning.

London has an all-time low in vagrancy, according to a new census of homeless people.

To preach health to people living below the poverty line is the grossest hypocrisy.

What X-Ray Revealed

War Veteran Carried Bullet Behind Heart For 22 Years

The London correspondent of the Ottawa Journal, tells this story:

Some strange things happened during the Great War, and now and then one hears of equally strange sequels to that expensive and as it proves useless adventure. A London club cricketer, who served in the infantry during the war, and was with Allenby in Palestine, has recently been alarmed about his otherwise fairly robust health. He began spitting up blood.

After a heart specialist and a lung specialist had examined him, and pronounced his heart sound and lungs intact, a further research by X-rays was deemed advisable. It was then discovered, greatly to the cricketer's amazement, that there was a bullet embedded behind his heart. It was extracted and proved to be a Turkish bullet, and was carrying it round inside him for 22 years.

Now the astonishing fact about this case is that the ex-soldier concerned never knew that bullet hit him. He was in hospital for some time with a superficial shrapnel wound, but never dreamed that he had also been hit by a Turkish bullet, and was carrying it round inside him for 22 years.

Kill A Fly And Save A Life

The Fly Menace Is A Very Serious National Problem

Such outdoor danger spots as manure piles, uncovered garbage, heaps of rotting matter, etc., are potential breeding places for flies, and one such spot may produce flies in millions. Now, since it is commonly known that diarrhoea and enteritis (which are synonymous with summer diarrhoea) have always been a first cause of deaths amongst children in many communities, how important it is that all the flies should be exterminated. The common house fly thrives in the filthiest surroundings and carries germs of disease and even death from its feeding places to human feeding places.

What about your home? Have you done all that is possible to clean out or to control the spots where flies are likely to breed? Have you tried to close all possible avenues of entrance to your home by screening doors and windows, repairing cracks and covering holes?

Amidst inside your home, is all exposed food and drink covered if it so happens that flies do find their way in? In the latter emergency, any way, there is a tried and tested remedy available for getting rid of all the flies, easily, quickly and once-and-for-all. A few Wilson's Fly Pads placed in convenient spots around the house, during the fly-danger months, will give you very thorough protection. Isn't it worth a little thought and trouble to take such simple steps to minimize the risk of disease and worse, faced by your children, your family and yourself, if flies are allowed to multiply?

In Pioneer Days

Woman In Nova Scotia Tells About Conditions Years Ago

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Durling, of Lawrencetown, N.S., can look back 98 years to the pioneer days of the Annapolis county village—and the time her husband charged only 25 cents for two days' board and lodging at his new hotel.

On her 98th birthday she told friends of the times when settlers used to borrow live coals from each other to light their fires, sometimes walking miles for them and nursing them carefully all the way home.

Her father and uncle cut the logs that went to construct the first cabin in the district. Paths were cut through what then was dense forest to enable them to ride on horseback. Cooking was done over a stone fireplace.

The settlers grew flax and raised sheep, spinning and weaving the wool into clothing. Little was bought and there were no luxuries, she said, but all were happy. Shortly after their marriage, her husband, now dead, opened a hotel at Albany Cross which he ran for 62 years. She recalls he charged the first guest only 25 cents for a two-day stay.

It is 80 years since she married.

Spoil Tourist Attraction

Dogs Drawing Carts On Quebec Roads Now Forbidden

Present-day demands for greater safety on the highways have caught up at last with Quebec province's picturesque and historic dog carts.

Roads Minister Anatole Carignan announced Quebec's habitants no longer would be allowed to use their dogs to draw carts. The ban was placed, the minister said, "with a view to promoting safer traffic conditions."

In some sections of the province dogs have been used since the days of New France to deliver milk and other produce in rural districts. Recently, however, they have become more and more an attraction for tourists.

Dogs, wearing spectacles, fedoras and sometimes with pipes in their mouths are attached to small two-wheeled carts.

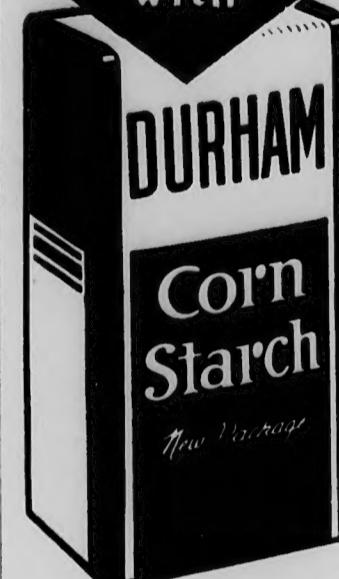
The dog carts are a familiar sight to visitors to the province, especially to those who travel the "Beaupre Road" from Quebec to the famous shrine at Ste. Anne de Beaupre.

Went Separate Ways

The Chapel Hill, N.C., Weekly says: The Pratts recently gave a demonstration of the varied ways of going to a wedding. Miss Jane Pratt Bayley was married in Springfield, Ohio. Colonel Pratt went by train. Mrs. Pratt by automobile, and Joe Pratt (now a physician in Boston) travelled in his own airplane.

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COOKING SCHOOL



British Submarine Makes A Remarkable Cruise All Around The Coast of Africa

A 12,000-mile cruise by a submarine around Africa, unaccompanied by any mother ship, destroyer, or other escort, is a feat which might have been expected to attract considerable attention. Yet when the submarine *Thames* completed the trip the only mention of it publicly was in the daily movements of naval ships, where it was unemotionally recorded as "Thames arrived Malta."

She had left Malta four and a half months previously without any preliminary tuning-up or special dockyard overhaul. She had steamed right round Africa, calling at nine ports on the way. She had carried out all her running repairs except for two small jobs that were done in Simonstown, a dockyard that is not equipped to deal with any of the specialized troubles of under-water vessels. And in the course of the voyage she had given instructional cruises and diving exercises for dozens of naval reserve volunteers in various ports of the Dominion and the colonies that are scattered along that vast coastline.

At Mombasa, the headquarters of the Kenya branch of the R. N. V. R., native ratings were included among those who were shown over the ship, and four of them, rated as leading seamen, went out with a party of 18 for independent exercises and diving. Orders for them had to be translated into Swahili, and there was a certain difficulty with some of the technical terms. There is no Swahili word for "electricity," and the interpreter had to use the native word for "steam" in descriptions of the engines.

There is one delightful note in the official report on the cruise: "Only one case of a visitor taking away a souvenir of her visit is recorded." I understand that it was a small barrel used in one of the messes to hold the daily ration of rum. When the loss became known locally several citizens got busy, and before the *Thames* left the lost fitting had been replaced by a handsome presentation barrel.

Apart from its technical importance, the details of which are naturally confidential, the cruise had a psychological interest. Some of the ports had previously been visited by Dutch and Italian submarines, and the fact that Britain possesses craft with the remarkable capacity to disappear under water made a considerable impression on the native mind. At Sierra Leone an immense crowd gathered to watch a demonstration dive with the Governor of the colony on board. When the submarine went under there was a loud cheer. But her reappearance subsequently seems to have struck the natives as something altogether inexplicable. There was dead silence.

One oddity of the cruise is worth mention. Thirty of the people on board had not previously crossed the Line. But they dodged the customary ceremonial and ducking by the simple expedient of diving under the equator! True, an individual representing himself to be Father Neptune did appear on board during the dive, but, as everyone said, how could he have done it with all hatches closed? So he must be an impostor, and there was no ceremony. Manchester Guardian.

Hard To Contradict

Name Given To Queer New Plant Might Be Correct

Quoth the Peterborough Examiner: "A Stratford man is puzzled on finding a plant with strawberry leaves and a root like a radish. Our belief is that it is of the *prphysenjuthiasette* family. If that isn't the right answer we feel at least it is one which will be very difficult to contradict." We haven't, says the Stratford Beacon-Herald, the faintest notion of challenging the Peterborough garden expert—who obviously knows as much as we do about the subject, which is exactly nothing.

Studying In Canada

Methods of control for pests are worked out after years of observation by experts. The value of these remedies cannot well be estimated. An entomologist from Australia has come all the way to Canada to study them at first hand.

New Direction Finder

Now Being Perfected By The Research Council At Ottawa

Ships at sea will be better able to get their bearings, with a minimum of interference from electrical storms and overlapping radio stations, when commercial use is made of a new direction finder developed and now being perfected at the National Research Council laboratories at Ottawa.

The new direction finder has the advantage of being instantaneous and depending on the eye rather than the ear for precise results. It utilizes a cathode ray tube such as has become necessary in television reception.

At present most ships depend for directions on bearings given them by two land radio stations. The direction finders now in use operate on the principle of the loop aerial which gives a maximum signal when pointing toward the sending station. From two such station bearings, the ship at sea can calculate its position.

Atmospheres and interference from other stations provide difficulties which may destroy useful reception under this system. The new cathode ray direction finder visually indicates the exact direction of the sending land station by a streak of fluorescent light on the end of the cathode ray tube or "bulb". That finger of light is created by a flow of electrons against the crystalline surface which makes a fluorescent screen of the inside surface of the bulb. Its position on the tube "face" changes as the position of the sending station changes.

Around the tube face is a dial calibrated into 360 degrees like a compass, which enables the operator to take the bearings of radio stations in a few seconds, considerably faster than by the aural method under the best circumstances.

U.S. Antarctic Expedition

Rear Admiral Byrd To Stake Out Claims To Vast Area

Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, explorer of two poles, was commissioned by President Roosevelt to lead an expedition which will stake out United States claims to a vast area of the Antarctic continent.

The president directed government departments to expend every effort to equip and dispatch the expedition at the earliest possible date. Byrd said he thought it could sail between October 1 and 15.

The expedition will undertake to map for the United States Antarctic lands on which the Byrd and Lincoln Ellsworth polar expeditions of recent years planted the Stars and Stripes. It is regarded at Washington as important because of the possible value of the southernmost continent to future air travel.

Great Britain, Germany and Norway, among others, also have evinced interest in obtaining claims based on the Antarctic explorations of their nationals.

Congress has provided \$340,000 for the expedition and authorized Dr. Ernest Gruening of the interior department to claim for the United States approximately 675,000 square miles.

Three ships will be used to transport the explorer-scientists to the wind swept wastes that largely comprise the Antarctic continent. They will be the "Northland," coast guard vessel, the "Bear of Oakland," which Admiral Byrd is lending the government, and the "North Star," ice ship now used by the bureau of Indian affairs to carry supplies to Alaskan natives.

Started Something

The Dixie Clipper got to the Azores on schedule and hopped off for Lisbon an hour later. And the Yankee Clipper carried the first mail to Southampton, England. Those two lads, Alcock and Brown, years ago started something.

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Premier In The Lead

Canadian House Of Commons Now Has 19 Bachelor Members

Nearly ten per cent. of all the members of the Canadian House of Commons are bachelors, according to Gordon Grayson, member for Peel, and who has copied Miss Macphail's system of sending a weekly letter to the press of his constituency. He doesn't mention Miss Macphail so we are not sure whether she is included among the "bachelors" or not, of whom, he says, there are 19. Leading the parade is the premier himself, and when the King and Queen visited Ottawa Mr. King had his sister, Mrs. H. M. Lay, act as his official hostess. She lived in Walkerton for about 20 years, where her husband was a banker, and they now live in Barrie. Hon. J. C. Elliott of London, formerly postmaster-general, is also a bachelor, as is Hon. Ian Mackenzie, minister of defence. Cupid has never been able to pierce his armor. Tommy Church, seven times mayor of Toronto, is another famous bachelor. Mr. Heaps, of the C.C.F., is a widower. The Social Creditors have one bachelor, Walter Kuhl, 34, six feet four, and the Tories have three bachelors. Georges Heon of Quebec, W. K. Esting of Kootenay, B.C., nearly 70 and almost totally blind, and Mr. Church. The other 15 bachelors are all Liberals, possibly showing the influence of having a bachelor leader, and six of them are French Canadians, a race noted for its early marriages and large families. One of the Liberal bachelors, John Angus McMillan of Wadena, Sask., is said to be the biggest man physically in the House.—*St. Mary's Journal-Advertiser*.

Looking To Canada

Foreign Investors Are Seeking For Openings In This Country

While foreign manufacturers and private investors, alarmed at conditions in Europe, are reported looking to Canada for manufacturing sites and safe investments, one of the most outstanding recent economic developments is the rapid increase in gold arrivals for safekeeping by the Bank of Canada.

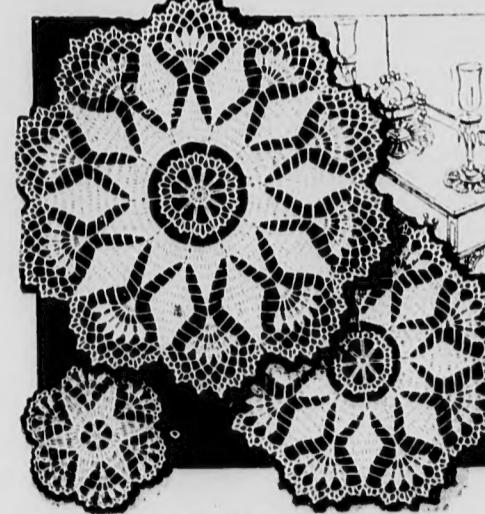
It was estimated, from the Bank of Canada's monthly statistical survey, that about \$323,000,000 in gold has been received by the Bank of Canada to be held and earmarked for its owners, largely in Great Britain. This movement started three years ago but about half the total came in the last six weeks.

This gold does not enter into the Canadian financial picture or play any part in the Dominion's expansion, but is merely held in safety for its owners. It has no relation to the Bank of Canada's gold reserve which is in the vicinity of \$206,000,000.

Express Baggage

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of a flour mill's pet cat and her kittens from Petersburg, Ill., has been solved. The mill received this telegram from a retailer in Peoria, Ill.: "Car of flour received O.K., but contained a cat and her kittens which we did not order."

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The Newcomers

Foreigners Of Yesterday Have Taken Root On Canadian Soil

Because the French and English were the first colonizers of North America is no reason why we should accord a general certificate of priority to their descendants, or subordinate to them, with ridiculous, specious and blind arbitrariness, all other elements which came later to add to the population of North America and lend it the support—which, after all, was asked for—of their various talents and enthusiastic activity.

All the foreigners of yesterday who have adopted our Dominion as a second homeland, have taken root here and have become citizens. Whatever their national, ethnic or religious origins may have been, they are to-day as Canadian as we are. We can think of no cause to claim that some of our people are more "Canadian" than others simply because backward educationists have distorted our viewpoint and damaged our natural understanding...

This fact of limiting the quality of Canadianism to a few categories of citizens, and of arbitrarily excluding all others, constitutes a narrow, petty, shrunken conception of that which might otherwise be a sound, human and legal citizenship. Le Jeu (Montreal).

An Interesting Study

Scientists Would Like To Know How To Harness Lightning

Lightning to different people is a different thing. Some are filled with awe, others fight. To the scientist lightning offers opportunity for interesting study.

In the days since Benjamin Franklin's experiments scientists have discovered that lightning is preceded by a pilot flash from the clouds which serves to clear away resistance for the major discharge which is the one we see as it travels from earth to sky. This process is repeated until the electricity in that particular area is expended. A flash comes and goes in the fifty millionth of a second and engineers have estimated the value of electricity expended in each at about 20 cents.

They have also computed that there are 360,000 strokes in the world each hour or a total energy output greater than that generated by Niagara. But how to harness this tremendous force, that's the problem.

One of the sights for tourists in Denmark is an old church in the sand dunes, south of Skagen. Buried by a sand storm in the 18th century, to-day only its tower is visible.

The trouble with the law of supply and demand is that even when there is an over-supply the demand of those not able to buy goes unmet.

Canada has made great progress in the development of her water-power resources, the total water-power installations in the Dominion having grown from 143,156 horse-power at January 1, 1900 to 8,190,772 horse-power at January 1, 1939, according to the Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa.

Hand in hand with this development has been the growth of the central electric station industry, as it was the inception of long distance transmission about the beginning of the present century which rendered practicable the development of water-power sites remote from the point at which the power was to be utilized. At January 1, 1900 the total installation in central electric stations was 47,929 horse-power, or only 33.5 per cent. of the total installations, as compared with 7,202,259 horse-power, or almost 88 per cent. of the total, at the present time.

This utilization of water-power resources has been a major contributing factor in Canada's remarkable development from an almost purely agricultural country to one of outstanding industrial importance in a little more than 30 years. Of significance is the favourable distribution of Canada's water-power assets from coast to coast, ensuring an ample supply of low-cost power to the chief centres of population and industry.

Quebec develops about one-half of Canada's hydro-electric energy, with a turbine installation of 4,031,063 horse-power; Ontario follows with 2,582,959 horse-power, and British Columbia holds third place with 738,013 horse-power. Manitoba has 420,925 horse-power, New Brunswick 133,347 horse-power, Nova Scotia 130,617 horse-power, Alberta 71,997 horse-power, Saskatchewan 61,035 horse-power, Prince Edward Island 2,617 horse-power, and the Yukon and Northwest Territories have a turbine installation of 18,199 horse-power.

Not only is every large industrial centre in Canada served with hydro-electric energy, but there are within practical transmission distance substantial reserves for the future. Pulp and paper mills are the chief consumers of industrial power, purchasing in 1937 about 50 per cent. of all industrial power sold. The leading position which Canada occupies in that industry is due in large measure to the location of low-priced hydro-power in close proximity to supplies of pulpwood. Water-power has also played an important part in the development of Canada's great mining industry because of the fortunate occurrence of extensive resources of hydro-power economically adjacent to mineral deposits and centres of mining activity.

Other principal industrial users of hydro-power include the electro-chemical plants, municipal pumping plants, electric railways, and the large number of saw, grist, and grinding mills and other manufacturing industries.

Notwithstanding the progress which has taken place during the present century, only about 19 per cent. of Canada's present recorded water-power resources is being utilized. The power rivers of Canada have an estimated capacity of 33,617,200 horse-power, which according to recognized practice will permit of a turbine installation of about 43,700,000 horse-power.

Would Broadcast To World

Australia Is Planning To Establish High-Powered Radio Station

The Australian government is considering a proposal to establish a high-powered radio station for world broadcast of news. The scheme provides for broadcasts on three separate beams to North America, to Europe, and to listeners within Australia and neighboring countries. Daily bulletins in Japanese and other languages would be included.

World's Oldest Dry Dock

Visitors may see Nelson's flagship, the Victory, at Portsmouth, in a dry dock built in 1656, oldest in the world. Nearby is the Victory museum, with many memorials of Nelson, Napoleon, the Battle of Trafalgar and the Napoleonic wars.

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J. E. Gooder • Editor & Manager

The World of WheatBy H. G. L. STRANGE
Director "Crop Testing Plan"

The Armistice, which concluded hostilities in the Great War, came into effect at 11 a.m. on November 11, 1918, but it was not until July 12, 1919, just 20 years ago, that the war officially ended, for on that date and not until that date, did the Allied Nations lift the blockade against Germany, and it is recorded that on July 12, 1919, a number of ships containing cotton, foodstuffs and other materials, for the first time since 1917, left United States ports for Germany.

Now, after exactly 20 years, there is talk again of war, of possible blockades, and of the curtailment of supplies of foodstuffs and raw materials to European Nations, just as it all was prior to July, 1919, 20 years ago.

The Allied Soldiers who won the great Victory and Peace in 1918, and who, moreover, won also the respect and friendship of all the defeated nations, will no doubt wonder what the politicians of the world have been doing during the last 20 years to bring the world once again back exactly to the same sad and distressing state that existed during the war years.

Where is the great Victory and Peace we won 20 years ago? Old Soldiers might ask?

Following factors have tended to raise price: Britain to increase reserves wheat stock substantially -- Crop prospects in Tunis below earlier expectations -- Rust lowers Bulgarian wheat outlook -- Germany and Italy make barter agreement for Roumanian wheat -- Belgian mills must maintain reserve of foreign wheat -- Record sugar production in Iran.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Heavy rainstorms materially benefit Argentine crops -- Continuation of trouble at Tientsin prevents further flour sales to the Orient -- Tendency to raise wheat estimates in Hungary -- Harvesting in Western Canada -- Active pressure of subsidized wheat -- Expect large crops of apples and plums in Denmark.

Searle Precipitation Report

Moisture conditions on the prairie provinces, although showing a slight decline from the last week in Alberta and Saskatchewan, have been reasonably well maintained. During the past week Manitoba received some very heavy but apparently spotty rains, the heaviest of these appearing to have occurred in the northern part of the crop area.

The moisture condition for the three prairie provinces as a unit, combining the fall reserves and the current growing season moisture is now 110 per cent of normal. This compares with 11 per cent last week and 88 per cent a year ago.

Alberta is now 103 per cent as compared with 104 per cent last week and 90 per cent a year ago.

Saskatchewan is now 119 per cent as compared with 121 per cent last week and 87 per cent a year ago.

Manitoba is now 87 per cent as compared with 86 per cent last week and 84 per cent a year ago.

Westcott Notes.

Mrs. R. MacFarlane was hostess to the members of the Westcott W.I. last Thursday. As the topic for the afternoon was the League of Nations, the roll call was answered with the name of the winner of the Nobel Peace Prize. The paper, on the Refugee Problem in Canada, was given by Mrs. Webster and was followed by an interesting and educational discussion. The entertainment consisted of a short article on the Olds School of Community Life. A delightful lunch concluded a very pleasant afternoon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Spillman on August 31.

Notes From the West

Mrs. W. Tryoneck, nee Audrey Hosegood, and baby, spent the past week visiting at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hosegood and family left for Clive last Saturday, where they will spend a week visiting Mrs. Hosegood's relations.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Byrt were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hogg on Sunday.

Mrs. A. McInnis left last week to visit at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lowrie and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rose were Sunday visitors with Mrs. W. Davies.

Mrs. G. Byrt spent last week visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Davidson of Westcott, returning home Friday.

Mrs. J. Hosegood, Mrs. D. Evans, Mrs. A. L. Hogg, and Mrs. E. Lowrie are among those attending the Farm Women's Week at the Olds Agricultural School.

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4:00 p.m.—Preaching Services
7:45 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday.
Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock
Prayer Service.

UNITED CHURCH
Rev. J. M. Fawcett, Pastor

11:00 a.m.: Sunday School
7:30 p.m.: Service,
Westcott 11:00 a.m.
Westerdale 3:00 p.m.

EVANGELICAL
Rev. A. S. Caughell, Pastor

Sunday Services:
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
11:30 a.m. Sunday School.
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.
Monday 4 p.m., Jr. Christian Endeavor.
Monday 5 p.m. Intermediate
Monday 7:30 p.m. Senior
Wednesday Evening, at 8, Prayer Mtg

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Rev. A. D. Currie.

July 23rd, 3 p.m., Evensong.
Please note—Services for the summer months will be on the second and fourth Sundays of the month.

LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rev. J. J. Kuring, Pastor.

Westcott—English: Every Sunday 10:30
Didsbury—English 2nd and 5th Sunday
at 2:30. German 1st and 3rd Sunday

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Father MacLellan, P.P.

1st and 3rd Sundays 11:00 a.m.
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Best loaf of white bread baked with "Golden Rule" Grocereria Flour. Sale slips to be attached. 1st—98 lbs flour;
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For baking done with "Perfection" Flour:

Home made bread. 1st—49 lbs flour;
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1 Peter Janzen 2 Mrs. Schwesinger

Raisin buns. 1st—49 lbs flour; 2nd—
24 lbs flour

1 Mrs. Schwesinger 2 Mrs. Heine

Layer cake, white. 1st—49 lbs flour;
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1 Mrs. Schwesinger 2 Mrs. Heine

Westcott Belgian Horse Club

Best 1939 foal sired by Major Jones.—
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3 Brown Bros., 4 C. E. Klinck,
5 C. E. Tuggee. Cup: N. Weber

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Grade dairy heifer, 2 years old.
1st—choice B.V.D. dress shirt

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Best loaf of white bread baked with "Five Roses" Flour. 1st—48 lbs flour;
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North End Lumber Yard

Agricultural team hitched.—
1st \$5.00 in trade

Charles Gordon, Carstairs

Mt View Co-operative Livestock
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Purebred sow under 1 year and over 6
mos.—1st \$2.50

Grade sow under one year and over 6
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Crystal Dairy Ltd

Engraved Cup for grade dairy herd.—
To be won three times to become win-
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Hugh Roberts

Melvin Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels and son of
Calgary, are visiting at the home of
Mrs. Daniels' parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Carlson

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Youngs and
son spent Monday in Calgary

Mr. and Mrs. A. Krebs and
Lester, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Mor-
timer spent the weekend in Banff.

We are pleased to report that Sid
Summers, who has been in the
Didsbury Hospital for the past week
after hurting his knee while hauling
gravel, expects to be home soon.

Mrs. Gordeine and children of
Calgary are visiting at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Grenier.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Youngs and
Mr. and Mrs. DuPont were Sunday
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Klein.

A ball game between Garfield and
Westerdale girls was played on the
Melvin grounds Tuesday night with
Garfield being the winners

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson returned
last week from a week's holiday in
Banff.

The Melvin Baseball Team now
stands tied with Waterside for
second place in the play off

H D Halliday

Loaf of white bread baked from Ogil-
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Sec. 74 Sow under 6 mos; 1st—100 lbs
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Medal Chick Starter

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Best Turkey Gobbler—50 lbs Turkey
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Mrs. William Dainty

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100 lbs Gold Medal Mineral.

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97 ½ Dozen rolls

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100 ½ Dozen doughnuts

Mrs. C. P. Sheils, Mary Ruediger

101 Chocolate cake

Mrs. P. McLeod

102 Layer cake—light

Mrs. H. Wait, Mrs. C. Thaler

103 Sponge cake

Mary Ruediger 2nd

105 Pumpkin pie

Mrs. H. Brooke, Mary Ruediger

106 Raisin pie

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107 Apple pie

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The united senate foreign relations committee at Washington voted to postpone until the next session of congress consideration of neutrality legislation.

The five-year-old 7,000-ton cruiser Amphon was renamed H.M.A.S. Perth by the Duchess of Kent in a ceremony marking its transfer to the Royal Australian navy.

A Canadian wheat board office has been opened in Toronto and placed in charge of Lorne S. Johnston of Toronto. The office will take care of the board's business in the eastern area.

Ernst Schupbach, former farmer of Bay Tree, Alta., and his wife, will be tried in Switzerland, Sept. 12, for the alleged poisoning of the woman's first husband, Paul-Henri Nicolet, prosecuting authorities said.

Contract has been placed by the national defence department with the Fleet Aircraft Co. of Fort Erie, Ont., for 27 training planes. The value of the contract is said to be in the neighborhood of \$250,000.

Donald G. McKenzie, vice-president of United Grain Growers Ltd., has been appointed to the board of governors of the University of Manitoba to complete the term of A. A. Tisdale, who recently resigned. The term expires in 1942.

Sir Percy Winn Everett, deputy chief commissioner of scouts for Great Britain, will make an official tour of Canada this summer "to secure a better appreciation among leading professional and business men of the value of the work of scouts."

Changing A Name

A Brief Reference To History To Refute A Misapprehension

Percy James Osterhoudt, of White Plains, N.Y., has gone to court and had his first name changed to Philip.

He doesn't understand why, it is true, Mr. Osterhoudt told the judge, "but there appears to be a stigma attached to the name of Percy in the minds of many people in this country, and since childhood your petitioner has been subject to considerable ridicule and jest for the reason that he bore that name, which has been a hindrance to him in business as well as in his social relations."

From time immemorial men have borne the name of Percy, or its equivalents, and most of them seem to have been pretty tough babies. There was Perseus, of the Greek legend, who chopped off the Gorgon's head and got a whole constellation named in his honor. There was Perceval, or Parsifal, hero of the quest for the Holy Grail. William de Percy helped William the Conqueror to take England and founded a family famed in English history. Henry de Percy subdued Scotland for years. Many later Percys died in battle, including Sir Henry Percy, who became a soldier at the age of 14 and showed such zeal in border warfare that his enemies called him Hotspur.

That may suggest an explanation for the belligerence of those old-time Percys. Perhaps the idea of going to court and getting new names not having been invented they just had to fight to keep people from subjecting them to "ridicule and jest". New York World-Telogram.

Made Their Own Passes

Clever Idea Got Spanish Players Past Japanese Pickets

Spanish jai alai players, lacking consular passes with which to pass Japanese pickets at the blockaded British and French concession barricades at Tientsin, China, provided their own informal passports.

To get by sentries and keep their engagements to play in the Italian concession, they obtained elaborately printed menus from the Jai Alai Auditorium restaurant, pasted their photographs on the menus and affixed impressively flowing signatures. The sentries accepted the "passports" without question. There is no Spanish consul in Tientsin at present.

The number of foreign journalists expelled from Germany has now reached 23. In every instance their crime was telling the truth.

Expenses Are Light

Prairie Hermit Lives Carefree Life And Is Perfectly Happy

He pays no taxes or rent, his expenses are seldom more than a dollar a week, and he is the happiest, healthiest man in Saskatchewan. His name is Ed Beard, the hermit of Pipestone Creek.

Six miles south of the town of Moosomin, in the beautiful Pipestone Valley, Ed lives the carefree life of a bushman and trapper. After 15 years of life under canvas as lumberjack and trapper, he regards the one-room shack in which he makes his abode as a comparative luxury. These days, while the average citizen puts in a lot of time worrying over the latest European crisis, Ed's greatest concern is how the fish are biting along the creek.

During the summer Ed has many visitors from near-by Moosomin, but in the winter he may not see another human being for weeks at a time. "Trapping, cooking, and wood-cutting keep me busy all day," he explains. "After supper bed always looks pretty good."

The woods along the Pipestone provide much of Ed's simple fare. Strawberries, raspberries, and Saskatoons are plentiful; Saskatoons provide fruit for the winter, and he has no difficulty securing all the rabbits, ducks, and other game required to give a widely varied menu. The sum of \$50 easily provides all the beans, rice, flour and tobacco for a year's supply, as well as all the clothing a hermit needs.

Ed believes that a simple diet is the secret of health. He has been sick only once in the last 15 years, and the sickness was the result of a few flu germs showered upon him by a sneezing citizen during one of his rare trips to town during the winter.

HOME SERVICE

WHAT FUN TO SHINE IN POPULAR DANCES!



Know How to Vary Your Steps

The gay strains of a Cuban rumba and what do you do? The same old step over and over? Or do you delight your partners by gliding expertly from one variation to another?

Easy with diagrams and instructions to learn the latest dance steps—how to combine them. Follow our diagram of the Rumba Open Step and Rumba Hesitation.

First the Open Step! 1 AND Starting with left foot take two quick steps forward. 2 A slow step forward. 3 AND Two quick steps forward. 4 A slow step. Now go smoothly into the Hesitation. 5 Quickly move left foot to side, placing little weight on it, and sway hip left. AND Quickly sway hip right. 6 Step forward slowly on left foot. 7 Move right foot quickly to side, little weight on it, and sway hip right. AND Quickly sway hip left. 8 Forward slowly on right foot.

Be a success in all the smart dances! Our 32-page booklet diagrams basic steps, variations of the tango, rumba, conga, fox-trot, slow fox-trot, samba, waltz, shag—also the Castle Walk, Hesitation, Maxixe. How to combine steps, lead and follow.

Send 15¢ in coins for your copy of "How to Do the Newest Dance Steps and Variations" to Home Service Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

In addition to the feature release, the following booklets are also available at 15¢ each:

- 118 "Good Table Manners".
- 126 "Developing Our Personality".
- 139 "Secrets of Good Conversation".
- 154 "Etiquette For Young Moderns".

Bridge Is Unlucky

Since the Harbor Bridge at Sydney, Australia, was opened in 1932, 52 people have fallen to their death from it. The latest victim fell 70 feet from the bridge approach. Four have survived falls from the bridge.

SUN-TAN DRESS WITH BOLERO

By Anne Adams



A good mixer—this very youthful, built-for-action dress designed by Anne Adams! Pattern 4170 flits merrily through sunny days, lunching on the country club veranda and going on shopping sprees just as smartly as it swings a golf club or a tennis racquet. You'll appreciate the short-cut directions of the illustrated Sewing Instructor when you make the action-free, two-panelled skirt—the wide, shoulder straps and the cool square neck that forms a low sun-tan back. Have the dashing bolero jacket in the same color, or perhaps in some startling contrast. Why not try this dress in the delightfully cool new rayon sharkskin? Or use crisp pique.

Pattern 4170 is available in misses' sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 16, dress, takes 3½ yards 39 inch fabric; bolero, 1 yard contrast.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

SELECTED RECIPES

DRIED BEEF RAREBIT

6 Shredded Wheat Biscuits
3 tablespoons butter or shortening
1 tablespoon minced onion
½ lb. dried beef
2 tablespoons flour
2 cups canned tomato juice
1 cup grated Canadian cheese
3 eggs, well-beaten
Salt, mustard

Cut up the dried beef, pour boiling water over it, and then drain. Melt the butter in the top of a double boiler over direct heat. Add the onion and cook until tender. Then add the dried beef and cook five minutes. Next add the flour, stir well, stir in tomato juice, and stir and cook over hot water until smooth and thickened. Add the cheese and stir until melted. Stir a little into the eggs, return to double boiler and cook, stirring, for two minutes. Season to taste. Serve immediately on split Shredded Wheat biscuits two halves to each person—which have been heated in a moderate oven of 375 degrees F. for 10 minutes. Serves six.

SHRIMP MOUQUIN

½ cup whole blanched almonds
½ cup diced celery
1½ teaspoons butter
2 cups cooked and drained shrimp
¾ cup rich milk (or milk and cream)
Salt and pepper
6 Holland Rusks

Cook almonds and celery in butter over low flame until almonds are golden brown and celery tender. Add shrimps, cut in halves, milk and season and cook 10 minutes longer. Serve hot on Holland Rusk. Six portions.

An Old Story In Canada

Japan has discovered that by playing radio music while they are milked, cows may be prevailed upon to increase their yield of milk from 10 to 20 per cent. That is an old story with many breeders in this country who have made it a practice to milk to the accompaniment of music.

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Along Right Lines

Ottawa Journal Likes Colonel Webb's Idea For Soldiers' Homes

There is, unquestionably, much to be said for the proposal of Colonel Ralph Webb of Winnipeg, president of the Manitoba Command of the Canadian Legion, for erection of old soldiers' homes throughout the Dominion. He proposes such an establishment in each province, or perhaps in each military district, to be called after the Commander of the Canadian Corps, the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Homes, for aged, indigent and homeless ex-service men.

The need for something of the kind will become steadily more apparent as the years recede. It is 25 years since the Great War opened, and many thousands of Canadian veterans of that struggle are in their fifties and sixties, finding steadily more acute and difficult the problem of employment even if they are in good health. Many of them in hospitals probably would be more comfortable and happier in such veterans' homes as Col. Webb has in mind.

Col. Webb thinks the scheme would not involve "any insuperable financial difficulties." Part of the War Veterans' Allowance could be devoted to the maintenance of residents, and for invalided veterans costs of maintenance would be lower in homes than in hospitals. Erection of nine adequate buildings would run however, into a considerable sum, and presumably it is the plan that the Dominion treasury should pay the bills.

Even so it is probable the public would approve, because the public conscience must be disturbed by the thought of old soldiers homeless and distressed. Canada has dealt not ungenerously with her veterans, but it may well be the passing years will bring new problems in this connection which must be met by new methods.

Successful Woman Aviator

Urge Others To Qualify For Commercial Flying Positions

Twenty-nine-year-old Helen Harrison, native of Vancouver, who claims the distinction of being the second woman in England to obtain an aviation instructor's license and the first to hold such a permit in South Africa, would like to see women aviation enthusiasts step up and demand more recognition in commercial aeronautics.

For 2½ years, Miss Harrison has earned from \$250 to \$350 a month as an instructor in South Africa and England and has flown, since 1934, more than 1,100 hours over three continents. In Virginia only a month, she is qualifying for her United States commercial licence but declares the lack of opportunity for women fliers in the United States probably will result in her transferring her aviation prospecting to Canada.

"My opinion is that it is up to women to make their own way in aviation," she said. "I've been earning my living at it now for several years and haven't had any trouble." If women would go ahead and qualify themselves for commercial flying positions, Miss Harrison believes they would get them in time. But there are not enough going after them now, she says, thus restricting woman's orbit in the air.

Incendiary Bullet

New Zealander Has Invention To Combat Airplane Raids

A New Zealander, John Pomery, invented the incendiary bullet used so effectively against Zeppelins during the Great War. Now his son, Samuel G. Pomery, has offered to the New Zealand Government a new incendiary bullet which he claims will be just as deadly against modern airplanes. The bullet, which will pierce a quarter inch steel plate, contains high explosive which is set off a split second after impact. This in turn sets off a new powerful inflammable liquid which burns with terrific heat.

Dividends From Lumber

In the Jura Mountains there are 24 French villages whose population of 10,000 not only do not pay taxes but actually receive a yearly dividend of from 100 to 200 francs. The explanation is that each village owns a large forest whose lumber is exploited in a business-like manner.

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BRITISH HEALTH INSURANCE

Last year Dr. and Mrs. Jean Walker Orr of the United States went to England for the purpose of studying the British system of health insurance. They gathered information from every available source, government departments, insurance committees, approved societies, and the British Medical Association—from personal interviews with insured persons, and insurance doctors and by a questionnaire addressed to workingmen's clubs. They were pertinacious in their enquiries. They interviewed waiters who served them, maids and the hair-dresser at Marshall and Snelgrove's store in Oxford St. The conclusions of these investigators are set forth in a book of 271 pages entitled "Insurance with Medical Care." These conclusions are: "There is in England a scheme of health insurance which works and which, within its admittedly limited scope, is regarded with general satisfaction and approval by doctors, insured persons and the public at large."

They do point out that the scheme is defective in that it provides a limited range of medical services and includes no provision for the dependents of insured persons. They think that medical benefits should be separated from the cash benefits and that the scheme should take the family as a unit.

The British system of health or sickness insurance, as it is sometimes called, provides medical care and cash benefits for insured persons of low income (about \$1,250.00). The fund from which the insurance is financed is made up of contributions from employed, employer and the government in the proportion of 3, 4, and 2, and that is to say the insured person pays in weekly instalments 3-9ths, the employer 4-9ths and the government 2-9ths. If an insured person is ill, he is able to obtain medical care and he also receives a small weekly cash benefit for as long as he is sick up to 26 weeks in any one year. Following this period there is a small disablement benefit if the person is still unable to work. For pregnant women there is a special benefit. The doctors involved are called "panel" doctors, that is they accept patients under the scheme. Patients may select their own doctors. The drugs are supplied by chemists on the doctors' prescriptions. The scheme has now been in operation as a going concern since 1913 and in the first 20 years of operation cost the country 600 million pounds.

The British scheme of sickness insurance is probably the best of its kind to be found anywhere, but it is very expensive; it fails to give medical attention to the families of the insured unless the members also are insured and it has no provision for utilizing the enormous resources of disease prevention. It induces the habit of over-indulgence in drugs to such an extent that the Minister of Health, speaking on the subject last year, deplored the fact that "English people seemed to have developed an abnormal thirst for bottles of medicine."

There is little doubt that the genius of English people will, in the course of time, remedy these deficiencies and seek to prevent disease rather than to spend all their energies in trying to cure it.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to—The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Royal Service On Display

Was Made For Luncheon Fredericton Gave For Their Majesties

The special luncheon service and silverware used at Fredericton, N.B., June 13 will be glassed encased and placed on permanent exhibit in the provincial legislative library. Attorney-General J. B. McNair said. At Fredericton, for the only time in their Canadian tour, Their Majesties sat down before a table service prepared specially for their visit. Experts praise the \$20,000 service as being probably the finest ever seen in this country.

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CHAPTER XVI.—Continued

Duncan stepped close and put a protecting arm about her. "That's all over, Sarah Lynn. Nothing matters now except ourselves, and we're going to be married in three days!"

"Oh Penny!" Sarah Lynn turned to her.

She nodded. "We had to tell him. We told him you were well again, and that you were to marry Mr. Duncan. If you could have seen his look—"

"Hush!" Mrs. Dana said violently, her beautiful face darkly crimson. The gentle walls, so lately a sanctuary, now looked down on a battlefield. "Leave the room! Do you hear me, Miss Pennington?" The first bitter and treacherous tones the pretty place had ever heard. "Leave the room and leave my house!"

The governess turned a stricken look to her. "I hear, Mrs. Dana, and I understand." If in that instant she visioned the inconvenient cottage of her brother, the curate, the sharp-tongued sister-in-law, it failed to give her pause. "I will go at once. But first"—she addressed herself to Sarah Lynn—"I must tell you this. He is going away tonight; he is going away forever."

The blood came into Sarah Lynn's face and into her heart; she could feel the exquisite agony of coming alive again. She heard her own voice vaguely, as if from a distance, saying stupid and futile things to her mother and Duncan Van Doren about being sorry. Then she was running. She ran down the hall and down the stairs and out of the house, and someone ran beside her, breathing hard, holding her hand. She knew it must be the old governess but she did not turn her head to look. There were dim shapes in the dark garden, figures converging upon her, figures without faces, familiar voices in unfamiliar words. Lightning, the greyhound leaping and bounding in beautiful joy.

"Come! The car's waitng!" someone said.

"I've packed a bag for you! Hurry!" said another.

There was the drumming of wings in the sky. Sarah Lynn flung her head back until it hung between her shoulder-blades to watch one star detach itself from its fellows and move steadily away.

"Oh, Gunnar, wait for me!" she gave a desolate cry.

"That isn't Gunnar, goose!" Sally

Ann said raggedly. "But we'll take you to him! Come along!"

They were hurrying her down the driveway, one on each side of her, another patterning behind.

Miss Pennington's voice said, "Bless you!" and then there were no footsteps following. Sarah Lynn heard her saying, "Oh, Mr. Duncan, I'm so truly sorry, but it's no use, sir! I tell you, it's no use!"

Mary Dana Webster flung words back over her shoulder, kind words but final, breathless with her haste, and there was Duncan's voice, bitter and proud and hurt, and then silence.

"Here we are! Uncle Lynn's car—he's here! Get in, Sarah Lynn!"

Her Uncle Lynn's hand, his arm about her; excited voices, kind, concerned, triumphant; a cloak wrapped round her, a hat pulled down on her head, things of no importance whatever.

"Gunnar?" she said as she had said that day in the meadow after coming down in the parachute. "I want Gunnar!"

"At the field, lambie. He's with Conrad Jordan now, and he's flying to Los Angeles to-night. He thinks Conrad's going with him, but he isn't. You are, Sarah Lynn!" Mary Dana Webster was crying. "You are!"

"Yes," she said contentedly. "When will I see him?"

"At the field. But we'll be there first. I told Conrad to give us a good margin of time," Lynn Dana told her.

Sarah Lynn said suddenly, "Penny! Didn't Penny come? I didn't say good-by to Penny!"

"Don't you worry about Penny?" her cousin said robustly. "I'll take care of Penny!"

"I'll bring her over to you, by and by, if you like," Sally Ann promised. "And I'll bring Lightning, too."

They were all promising things; they would see her mother, they would see her father, they would talk to Duncan, they would take care of old Penny; there was absolutely nothing for her to worry about.

But the numbness was going out of Sarah Lynn's head and heart, and she knew how silly she was requiring long devotion; behind her was shock and grief and wounded pride, and she was wrong with remorse, but before her was Gunnar, and she had no choice.

"Gunnar?" she said again. "When? Almost there, Sarah Lynn?"

Then they were at the field, and Vance Le Roy was handing her out of the car, grinning, and the mechanics were crowding up, and Old Pete was gulping and blowing his nose.

"Well, God love you, Ladybug! You're a sight for sore eyes!"

"Where is Gunnar?"

"Not here yet, Miss, nor Mr. Jordan, but the ship's warmed up for 'em. Well, now, will you be stowing away again?"

Sarah Lynn laughed aloud. "Yes! I'll stow away, Pete! Help me!" That was the perfect way. Then she would not have to see him first before them all; their first moment would be their own.

The drama of it caught their fancy. They were all laughing, scurrying about, bringing robes from the car, carrying the bag, shaking her hand, patting her shoulder, wishing her luck. Then there were the good-bys, too hurried to be heard. The women kissed her and Mary Dana Webster wept happily. Sally Ann said, "I'm sailing soon, too, Sarah Lynn. Write me—Paris!"

Sarah Lynn tried to say something to her Uncle Lynn, who had made this hour; who, sitting still in his chair for more than half his lifetime, was the one to give her wings. "Uncle Lynn, oh, Uncle Lynn!" Vance Le Roy took her elbow in a hard grip and walked her to Jordan's plane, lifting his voice over the din to say this was a great break to wish her Happy Landings.

On the ground it was all noise and confusion and haste, but above it would be cold and clear and calm, and it was there she was going with Gunnar.

They helped her into the cabin and handed in her bag and arranged the robes so she could pull them over her.

"Hi! Make it snappy! Here they come!" a mechanic called.

Old Pete said, sniffing loudly, "Well, God love you, Ladybug!"

Sarah Lynn flattened herself and covered her head, and it was a comfort to hide, to be still, after the hubbub of the last hour. She was dizzy and faint and confused with

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on his shoulder and speak to him, just as she had done all those ages ago on the night of Ardine's prank hatched in the Steamed Prune, but this time he would not scorn her. He would make a place for her beside him and she would be always beside him, and their cold cheeks would touch, and he would turn his head and kiss her; the queer, dark Dame girl, the Ladybug, flying away in the night.

As she had delayed to look at him through terror that he might not be there, so now she dallied with the rapture of the impending moment, her heart hammering, until her gaze which had not left him for an instant began to evaluate the change she saw. It was Gunnar Thorwald, Norwegian ace, who held the stick, but it might well have been another, for the proud carriage of the head was missing, the stern set of the squared shoulders the hard certainty, the harsh young arrogance were gone. His chin was on his breast, and he sat slumped in his seat, and in every lean line was a hurt so deep, so lonely, so intolerable that there were quick tears of tenderness in her eyes, as she rose and went forward to comfort him.

[THE END.]

Czech Decalogue

Resistance Is Shown To The German Absorption Of The Republic

George J. Janecek, commissioner of the Czech-Slovak pavilion at the New York World's Fair, made public a decalogue of resistance to the German absorption of the Czech republic which he said was being widely circulated through underground methods in that country.

It was thus translated by him:

"Believe in the legitimate right of 8,000,000 people, 1,000 years old, in the Czech-Slovak nation and in a free and independent life."

"Do not believe that we have lived for 1,000 years in a German reich but know from our history that this is a lie."

"Believe in our historic rights which do not justify the subjection of the Czech-Slovak nation."

"Do not believe what you read in the Czech newspapers or hear on the radio because news and radio offices are under German control."

"Do not believe that the Czech-Slovak leaders have accepted the submission of our land to German rule. They must be careful in their speech for otherwise we would have no leaders."

"Do not believe that we stand alone in the world."

"Do not merely speak Czech but think in Czech."

"Do not participate in German celebrations."

"Treat the Germans in such a way that they should always feel that they are foreigners in the service of injustice and brutality."

"Never forget that 10,000,000 crowns, saved by the sweat of the Czech-Slovak nation, have been robbed by the German armies."

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The Financial Post submits that only the vagaries of an obsolete calendar dictate the days on which national holidays are observed in Canada, and again presses the proposal that Empire Day be observed on the third Monday of the month of May and Dominion Day on the first Monday in July. There would be the preceding Sunday in each case when the spiritual significance of the two anniversaries could be emphasized, and there would be the long holiday in any event to benefit the greater number. Thousands of wage-earners would appreciate the change from the present system and the whole national economy would be strengthened. This year, it is true, as the Financial Post says, the retail stores by losing the traditional Saturday are the chief losers. Last year Dominion Day, observed on a Friday did not make sense.

Just why Parliament should be obdurate against a commonsense change in national holiday observance is a mystery. Why hold fast to dates rather than improve the days? It was good business to always have the first Monday in September set aside as Labor Day, and the Government also sets a Monday for Thanksgiving Day. Of course, Christmas is in a different category. St. Catharines Standard

Turner Valley Oil

Shareholders Received Large Dividends During First Six Months Of This Year

Records of the Calgary Stock Exchange revealed that shareholders of companies operating in Turner Valley received \$1,072,035 during the first six months of 1929, highest return on investment for any corresponding period in history of the oil and gas field in Southern Alberta.

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LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gooder spent the weekend at Banff.

Mr. Tom Dewitt, of Bashaw, was a visitor in town while on vacation last week. Tom formerly managed the wheat pool elevator here.

How about trying one of T. E. Scott's \$1.00 Work Shirts?

Mr. Robert Mueller and daughter Dorothy, of Ghost Pine, spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Husband and family visited the former's sister, Mrs. Bruce Parker and family, for a few days last week.

Delmar Foote left this week for Calgary, where he has obtained a position in the C.P.R. express department.

Premier William Aberhart will address a meeting at Didsbury on Friday, August 11, at 2 p.m. Place of meeting to be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace returned Sunday from their motor trip when they visited Seattle, Vancouver and Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen and family are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kyncl.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Morgan along with their visitor, Mr. H. W. Trow, of Chicago, are spending a few days at Banff and other National Park points.

Just to remind you that now is the time to take your binder canvas to T. E. Scott for repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lynch-Staunton returned from their honeymoon on Monday and are occupying the Mrs. Mary Finlay residence on Liesemer Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Austin and daughter Elizabeth motored to Banff on Sunday. Miss Elizabeth will attend the Banff School of Fine Arts during August.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Weber are leaving this week for Edmonton, where they will meet Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fleury and family and spend a vacation together.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Elves and two sons, of Calgary, and Mr. Bill Warner of Vancouver, B.C., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leeson at "Westland" Farm.

With a song on their lips and romance in their hearts, come the screen's singing sweethearts, Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy in "The Girl of the Golden West."

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spence and Barbara left on Tuesday for Banff, where they will spend their vacation. They were accompanied by Mr. Wm. Wrigglesworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Studer, of Edmonton, visited the former's father, Mr. A. G. Studer, on Saturday. They were en route for a vacation at the coast.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Liesemer and family returned from their vacation on Saturday. They visited Coulee Dam, Seattle, Vancouver and other coastal points.

Mrs. H. Halton, of Pincher Creek and Mrs. W. H. Moser and children, of Hillcrest, mother and sister of Mr. J. Halton, are visiting the Halton family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rupp and family, who had been visiting relatives at Oakland, California, returned home Monday. Jim reports that the temperature in Oregon and Washington reached 116.

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist and Optician, will be at Didsbury on Monday morning, Aug. 7. Wednesday to Saturday of each week consult Mr. McLean at his office, 209-210 Southam Building, Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Fisher attended the wedding in Calgary on Saturday of Mr. Lauder Nowers and Miss Betty Taylor. The groom is the son of Mr. E. B. Nowers, assessor for Didsbury, while the bride is well known among local music circles.

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LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ford left this week for their vacation and are motoring in the National Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Thurlow, of St. Thomas, Ontario, are visitors with the former's brother, Mr. Watson Thurlow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Husband and Mr. Kenneth Jennings visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Parker last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cockburn returned from their vacation on Sunday which they spent at Banff and Penticton.

Commencing Saturday, August 5, the I.O.D.E. will hold a series of Saturday night jitney dances to start a fund in aid of a proposed swimming pool.

Old "Banjo Daddy" who it will be remembered, gave a series of concerts in the district some time ago, was in town on Wednesday and met his old friend, Ed Weber.

Mr. O. Kirk, who has accepted a position on the Calgary Junior High School staff, was in town on Wednesday arranging for the removal of his effects to Calgary.

T. E. Scott carries a complete line of canvas, webbing, slats, straps and buckles for binder canvas repair.

"The Girl of the Golden West."

Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy have reached their topmost heights to date as the screen's queen and king of song in "The Girl of the Golden West" which opens at the Opera House this weekend.

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Interspersed through the romance are numerous new and beautiful tunes by Sigmund Romberg and Gus Kahn, and there are several comedy highlights also included in this entertainment packed picture.

Gray Asks Voters Mark Full Ballot

Urging voters to mark a full ballot in the next Alberta election and to take advantage of the transferable vote, Hon. E. L. Gray, leader of the Liberal opposition in the province, spoke over the air Monday evening.

The Liberal leader urged his listeners to refrain from trying to force electors behind one candidate to such an extent that they would refuse to vote at all.

"Do not create resentment and undue political bitterness regarding candidates at this time; it is not necessary under the Alberta system," he said.

Mr. Gray, who holds one of the Edmonton seats at present, announced that he had declined the nomination, as he proposed to contest a rural riding.

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